

START RAISING \$5,000 FUND FOR GIRL, 4, MAIMED BY FIRE

Courageous Little Monica Cotter, In Hospital, To Have Trust Fund

Their hearts touched by the pitiful plight of little Monica Cotter, aged 4 1/2, who will be maimed for life by flames that scorched 80 per cent of her body June 5, a group of warm-hearted citizens this week set the wheels in motion to raise a substantial trust fund for the unfortunate child.

Too Many Dogs Being Deserted By Vacation-Bound Owners, And Dog Officer Issues A Warning

Too many vacation-bound families are leaving their dogs to shift for themselves while they go to shore or mountain resorts, and Dog Officer Samuel Femia is getting tired of it.

On Monday, Femia reports, he picked up four stranded dogs; Tuesday he took three more in tow, taking them to the dog pound to be fed and cared for.

"There's getting to be altogether too many deserted dogs in Arlington, and August is a particularly bad month every year," Officer Femia told the Press.

"It's cruel and inhumane practice, and I'm going to do all I can to stop it."

"Any dog that I pick up piles up a board bill of 75 cents per day. But that isn't all; I'm not going to wait the required six days before I turn these dogs over to the Animal Rescue League to be disposed of."

Hinting that some folks may come back from vacations to find that they haven't got a dog any more, Femia said:

"I don't doubt that, in some instances, the dog owners are well-intentioned. Sometimes they leave the dog with a relative or friend, and the dog strays back to its

Woman Is Shaken In Auto Crash

A woman claimed to have been seriously shaken up after two autos collided Friday afternoon opposite 483 Mass. Ave.

George C. Boyadjian of 9 Willow Pl., reported to police that he ran into the rear of a car operated by Kathryn C. Fields of 45 Bromfield Rd., Somerville, when the latter made a sudden stop.

Mrs. Mary M. Fields, riding with her daughter, claimed to be shaken up. There was slight damage to the rear of the Fields car.

173 Vets' Homes At \$10,000 Each May Be Erected; Study Sites

Coincident with announcement by the State Housing Board this week that \$1,728,587, has been earmarked for construction of 173 veterans' homes in Arlington—at a cost per unit of \$10,000—the new Arlington Housing Authority announced it was launching a study of available sites.

In Tax Study



STATE REPRESENTATIVE Hollis M. Gott (above), of Arlington recently has been named House chairman of a new legislative recess committee that is undertaking an exhaustive study of state taxes. The investigation is expected to lead to the wiping out of tax inequalities and duplications.

The Housing Authority, which formally organized Monday with W. Dale Barker as chairman, began a careful examination this week of the questionnaires recently filed by local veterans in need of homes. On the basis of these questionnaires members of the Authority will decide how many of the 173 units the state offers to finance here will actually be undertaken.

The \$1,728,587, now earmarked for Arlington's use may be utilized in whole or in part. The money will be furnished by sale of bonds issued by the local Authority, backed by the state. Rentals will redeem the bonds over a 20-year period.

Questionnaires filed by some 400 veterans in need of homes were analyzed at Monday's organization meeting of the Authority.

"A more intensive study of the extent and character of the veterans' housing needed in Arlington and the availability of land for the purpose will be made within the next two weeks," it was announced.

The Authority has opened an office in the Robbins House, and any vets who need homes and have not yet registered are invited "and urged" to call at the Veterans' Service Bureau at the Robbins House and fill out a questionnaire.

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headquarters to decide how best to raise the fund—with \$5,000 as a tentative goal.

The Arlington Press donates the first \$50 to this humane cause. Believing in the enthusiastic support of its readers, the Press is prepared to accept donations to this fund. Bring or send your contributions, great or small, to the Press office, 485 Massachusetts Avenue (over the Stop and Shop Store, in Arlington Center.)

Little Monica was cruelly burned when her nightgown caught fire in the kitchen of the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Cotter of 77 Oakland Ave., Arlington Heights.

"It was the worst case of the kind I've seen in all my police experience," recalls Sgt. Charles O. Toomey, one of the officers called to the scene.

Sgt. Toomey, incidentally, is temporary chairman of the fund-raising committee. Others in the group, at the start, are George Harris, John Roche, Dan McFadden, Harry O'Reilly, Clifford Cook, James Golden, Francis Keefe, John Byrnes, Jr., Russ Perham, Lewis Doctoroff and Francis J. Higgins. Mr. Cook is a town welfare official; Mr. Golden is secretary to the selectmen; Mr. Doctoroff is a druggist and Mr. Higgins is a school committeeman.

One of six children of Mr. and Mrs. Cotter, Monica had gotten up early on Saturday, June 5, to pop some popcorn. A gas flame ignited her night clothes, turning her into a human torch.

Her father, running to her aid, was badly scorched about the hands as he beat out the flames. The girl was burned from the waist up, and for days her life

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Mary Emery Chosen In Semi-Finals For State Beauty Title

Facing the judges along with 16 other contestants in a beauty contest the AMVETS' state convention in Newburyport Friday, Mary Emery of 11 Hobbs Court issued successful in the first lap of the race for the title of "Miss Massachusetts."

Miss Emery was chosen as one of nine finalists from whom "Miss Massachusetts" will be selected.

The finals in the contest will take place Aug. 23, during a moonlight cruise in Boston Harbor

staged by the AMVETS' new state officers aboard the Liberty Bell.

The choice of the nine finalists was made before a crowd estimated at close to 500.

Miss Emery, who is 16, is a high school student here and was picked as "Miss Arlington" at a recent dance sponsored by the local AMVETS.

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Even Stuffed Bear Entered In Pet Show



UNABLE TO FIND A LIVE ANIMAL PET to enter in the recent pet show at the North Union St. playground, Pauline Spence (third from right) entered the contest with a stuffed teddy bear. Others, however, came forward with pets ranging from goldfish and kittens to dogs of all kinds. Left to right in photo: Barbara A. Klein, Frances Fullerton, Paul Regan, Barbara Roberts, Eleanor LeBlanc, Tommy April, Paul Aiken, Sammy Lucciano, Janet Kiernan, and Jean Spence.

Grannan Says 'He'll Fight' For Permit For Honeymoon Cottage For Daughter And War 2 Vet

"I don't get into a fight very often, but when I do I see it often, but when I do I see it Director William D. Grannan told the Press this week, commenting on his efforts to get permission to construct a five-room Cape Cod home on his property for his daughter and her husband-to-be.

Mr. Grannan's daughter is engaged to a World War 2 veteran; they've hunted high and low for a home, without success, and Mr. Grannan finally decided to start them off by building them a new home on the rear of his property

at Mass. Ave. and Pond Lane. The rub, however, is that the proposed site isn't quite as large as the building codes call for, and both the building inspector and the local board of appeals have turned thumbs down.

Last Friday, Mr. Grannan ap-

peared before the Housing Board in Boston—his last court of appeals—and placed the case before them. He now awaits a verdict.

"As I explained to the local board and to the state board," Mr. Grannan said, "the proposed build-

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Milk Collector Has To Halt Collections When He Loses His Bills

Some milk customer of H. P. Hood & Sons may have wondered over the weekend why the custom-

ary collector didn't drop around to see them.

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The history of Arlington (first known as Menotomy, and then West Cambridge) goes back to the early days of the Massachusetts Bay Colony. The first grist mill in the Bay Colony was erected here; Arlington also had the first free public library in the state. The men of the town answered Paul Revere's call at daybreak, engaged in the heaviest fighting on that memorable day and made the first capture of British men and supplies in the revolution.

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### Unlicensed Parking

"Has he got a permit to operate a parking lot?" This question was heard a couple of weeks ago, when a veteran who purchased property in Arlington Center put up a sign: "Parking 25 cents", on a part of his property which hitherto had been freely used for parking without charge.

The sign, incidentally, drove out most of the parked cars. The new owner naturally had a perfect right to decide what use should be made of his property. But the question remained as to his legal right to charge for parking, without a permit to do so.

The Press made inquiries which brought out an interesting situation.

Parking lots, it seems, are customarily operated under supervision of fire departments. Fire officials decide how many cars a lot may safely contain, how far apart the cars should be for access, etc. And anyone who wants to operate a parking lot must, of course, first obtain a permit.

But the rub here is that Arlington has not yet adopted the state act under which parking lots are regulated. Never having had a "pay as you enter" parking lot in Arlington, this neglect to adopt the provisions of the state law meant little. But now the time seems to have come to act, so that licenses may be issued and parking lots may be operated under specific safeguards and supervisions.

### Playground Fishermen In Huck Finn Contest At Park Pond Monday

Arlington's young fishing enthusiasts at the various playgrounds will gather at Menotomy Rocks Park Monday morning, August 9, at 10 A.M., to try their skill or luck with the fish in the pond.

Johnny Lax, popular playground supervisor, will conduct the contest and has arranged for prizes for the various events. Warren Donovan leader at the Peirce playground, will instruct the youngsters in how to cast, various types of bait to be used, and the many other secrets of the sport Isaac Walton made famous.

### University Highlights

"The Pirate," starring Judy Garland and Gene Kelly, which starts Sunday for four days at the University Theatre, is a sumptuously mounted, beautifully cast, musically inspired motion picture. Every ingredient of a perfect technicolor musical has been garnered for this suave film adaptation of S. N. Behrman's play, which was one of Broadway's greatest successes. It tells the story of a lovelorn girl who dreams of being swept off her feet by a bold pirate, and who finds her hero in the person of a debonaire strolling player. Its locale is the languorous and exotic Carribean.

A stirring battle of wits between Allied representatives in Europe and a group of Nazi fanatics seeking to prevent the unification of Germany, is developed in "Berlin Express," the companion film. The first American picture to be made inside Germany since the war, the unusual film co-stars Merle Oberon, Robert Ryan, Charles Korvin and Paul Lukas, and its authentic settings lend vivid realism to the dramatic story.

"The Woman In White," based on the famous novel by Wilkie Collins, starring Eleanor Parker, Alexis Smith, Sydney Greenstreet and Gig Young, starts Thursday. Sharing honors with the above quartet of performers are Agnes Moorehead and John Emery. The Wilkie classic is regarded as the first of the "whodunits," and the characterization of Count Fosco, which Greenstreet portrays on the screen, has inspired many a writer and novelist who followed the leader of the mystery yarns of the Victorian period.

## About Town With Muriel

BY MURIEL MacDONALD MURPHY

MISS ANNA E. KEATING, daughter of Mrs. John Keating of Arlington, became the bride July 24 at St. Agnes' Church of Thomas J. Donnelly Jr., of Lexington. Msgr. Matthew J. Flaherty celebrated the nuptial mass.

The bride, wearing a brown faille travelling suit with a corsage of sweetheart roses, was given in marriage by her brother, Paul L. Keating.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Paul L. Keating, who was dressed in a sea green satin gown with a corsage of roses. James P. Donnelly, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man.

A wedding breakfast was served, following the ceremony, at the Hotel Commander.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly left for an undisclosed destination and will be at home in Lexington at 16 Smith Ave.

AT A BRILLIANT MID-SUMMER WEDDING last Saturday, Miss Mary Pauline Keefe, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Keefe of Mystic Lake Drive, became the bride of Mr. Robert J. Callahan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Callahan of Watertown. Msgr. Matthew J. Flaherty officiated at the morning ceremony, which was followed by a nuptial mass at St. Agnes' Church.

White gladioli decorated the altar and family pews as attractive Pauline was escorted down the aisle on the arm of her father. Her long-sleeved period gown of candle light satin had a bouffant skirt terminating in a cathedral train. Venetian lace trimmed her bridal dress and formed the halo from which fell her long veil of tulle. White orchids and stephanotis fashioned her bouquet.

Coming from Long Island, New York, to serve as maid of honor, Miss Alice Gilroy wore a portrait gown of dusty rose marquisette. Tiny rosebuds decorated her matching picture hat and she carried an arm bouquet of shaded pink roses. In a duplicate ensemble, Miss Joan Callahan of Watertown, sister of the bridegroom was junior bridesmaid for Miss Keefe.

In gowns and picture hats of aqua marquisette and carrying pink roses arranged with baby's breath, the bridesmaids were Miss Margaret Hurley of Arlington, Miss Kathryn Stanton of Belmont, Miss Ann Antonello of Malden and Mrs. George Engle of Hingham.

Performing the duties of best man for his brother was Mr. Paul Callahan of Watertown, while the usher corps included a cousin of the bride, Mr. Brooks Sayles of New Haven, Conn.; Mr. Herbert Casey of Cambridge; Mr. Robert Brigham of Waban; Mr. George Engle of Hingham and Mr. Thomas McDonough of Portland Maine.

Assisting the couple in receiving their guests for the wedding breakfast at the Hotel Puritan, Mrs. Keefe, mother of the bride, was groomed in aqua crepe and lace. Her small tulle hat was in matching shade of aqua and her corsage was of orchids. Mrs. Callahan chose a soft grey crepe dress and contrasted her matching hat with a touch of fuchsia. She also wore an orchid corsage.

Following the reception, the couple left for a wedding trip to Canada and the Great Lakes.

Mrs. Callahan, a member of the

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Jr. Philomathia Club, is an alumnus of Arlington High School. She attended the New England Conservatory of Music and is a graduate of Lasell Junior College. Her husband is a veteran of three years' service during World War II and was graduated from Boston University School of Business Administration.

A NEW MEMBER to be welcomed to the group of brides-elect is Miss Eleanor G. Macauley whose betrothal to Mr. M. Francis Matthews has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Robert C. Macauley of Arlington. Eleanor, a member of the teaching staff in Lexington, was graduated from State Teachers College in Salem, Mr. Matthews son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Francis Matthews of Dorchester is attending Northeastern University.

FELICITATIONS are also in order for Miss Barbara Hanson whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Val T. Hanson of Kimball Rd., have announced her engagement to Mr. James Wright Herrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Herrick of Lev erley, Miss Hanson is an alumnus of the School of Practical Art. Her fiancé, a veteran of service with the USAAF in China, was graduated from Tufts College and the University of Chicago.

### They'll Wed

Marriage licenses have been issued at town hall to:

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## Rep. Gott's Concern For Aged Belied By His Voting Record, Says Democratic Committee

Representative Hollis M. Gott, who last week told the Press he favored tax exemptions for persons on pensions, has strangely failed in the past to show concern for the aged, it was charged this week by the Arlington Democratic Town Committee.

The committee, in a press release signed by Chairman Paul C. Griffin and Vice Chairman John D. Kedian, said that Mr. Gott in the last session of the legislature, "was the only member who voted in the negative on the bill to increase the state's take from dog and horse racing tracks," an increase "which was to have been used for the benefit of old age relief."

The committee further charged that Mr. Gott, who is up for reelection, has "consistently" voted against lowering the age requirements for old age assistance, and that he voted against giving medical and other benefits to old age assistance recipients.

Both Mr. Gott and the junior GOP representative, Hallam T. Ring, were further assailed for frequent absences from sessions of the legislature.

The Democratic Town Committee's statement, in full:

"To The Arlington Press:

"We, the Arlington Democratic Town Committee, wish the privilege, through the columns of your paper, to ask Representative Hollis Gott, who expressed himself as concerned over tax matters affecting retired persons living on small incomes, and his belief that an exemption should be granted to the parents of children eighteen years and over when such children are attending college, how he reconciles this concern with his action at the last session of the legislature when he was the only member who voted in the negative on the bill to increase the State's take from the dog and horse racing tracks. This increase was to have been used for the benefit of persons on old age relief.

"Also his consistent record of

voting against reducing the age requirement for beneficiaries of old age assistance from 65 years. And why he voted, against giving medical and other benefits to those receiving old age assistance. You will note that his great concern comes just before election, although the committee that is studying these matters is not to report before December 1950.

"He takes great pride in his appointment to certain committees. Committee appointments in the legislature come through seniority. When his legislative record, is reviewed, and it is available to the public at the State House, we believe that his seniority has been altogether too long. There will be noted his negative voting on all progressive and social legislation for the benefit of the average person.

We challenge him to show any record of progressive legislation for Arlington during his long tenure of office. We ask him to answer for his record of absences from roll calls during the 1945-46 campaign. He attempted to answer it on cards distributed on the eve of the election, when he gave his absentee record for only one year.

"In view of the fact that in his interview with your paper, he mentioned his associate, the junior representative from this same legislative district, we would like to have him answer for the junior representative's record of absences at roll call, forty-nine times.

"We are given to understand from several sources, that the junior representative was in Florida when many of these roll calls were taking place. His votes usually followed those of Mr. Gott's whenever he was there. And we also find him voting against most legislation for benefit of the aged and veterans. WHEN HE WAS THERE!"

## Advertising Pays, As Boys' Club Director Finds In Wareham

An interesting note on the value of advertising came to light this week when Jim Sumner, director of the Arlington Boys' Club, returned to town after a visit to the New Bedford Boys' Club camp in Wareham.

It seems that Jim Kenealy of Webster St., Arlington, is waterfront director at the Wareham camp. Kenealy played on the Arlington Boys' Club Varsity last winter. At that time, blue and gold warm-up jackets were awarded to the varsity basketballers, and Kenealy's jacket, with Arlington Boys' Club in gold letters on the back, is attracting much attention in Wareham.

Every counselor in camp envies this jacket and whenever one of them gets a chance to go to town

he invariably borrows Kenealy's jacket. The jacket has been seen so much on the main street of Wareham that the merchants have been led to believe that a whole colony of Arlington boys are staying somewhere in town.

Young Kenealy, incidentally, has won a host of friends for himself and very favorable comment for the excellent training he has received at the Arlington Boys Club, where he has been a member and instructor several years.

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# Burglars Ransack 1 Apartment, Try To Force Way Into 2 Homes; Parked Auto Pried Open, Looted

Burglars and would-be burglars were unusually active in Arlington over the weekend, one apartment being entered, two attempts to enter homes being reported and a parked auto being looted.

A barking dog awakened members of the family of John W. Perry of 14 Winthrop Rd., about 2 o'clock Saturday morning. The dog quieted down and the family returned to sleep; later, when they awakened and looked around they found marks on a window, where someone had tried to force off a screen.

Returning home from a week's absence on vacation, John F. Ahearn found that burglars had tried unsuccessfully to enter his home at 99 Madison Ave. There were marks indicating an attempt to break down a cellar door. Vandals also had damaged trees on the grounds.

From 8 Windsor St., came a report to police from Miss Ruth Tighe that her sister's apartment, on the first floor of that address, appeared to have entered and ransacked. Her sister being away, however, Miss Tighe could not immediately say what—if anything—had been taken.

A \$20 gray suit coat and a dozen shirts—worth \$25—were stolen from an auto owned by Ferdinand Corsetti of 160 Highland St., while the car was parked in front of his home Saturday night. A side door of the car was forced open.

## Originality Pays Off . . .



TYPICAL OF COSTUME CONTESTS held at all playgrounds July 16 were these three prize winners at the Hardy School playground. Donald Finlayson, 11, of Herbert Rd., (at left) poses as a carefree hobo, and so convincingly that he won some little girl—Bruce Howland, 5, of Dorothy Rd., in "most original" bunny costume, while at right is the winner of the prettiest attire: Janet Welch, 5, of Pond View Rd. Photos were Shea, playground instructors, directed the contest.

taken by 13-year-old Jackie Collins. Other prize winners at Hardy were Jackie Powers, Paul Lynch, Sandra Fitzgerald, Jimmy Murphy and Ann Craig. Miss Eileen Quirke and Bob the prize for most comical costume. In center is—no, not a win-

## Wins Tickets To Game

James Reynolds, 24 Summer St., Arlington, was named a winner last week in the "Let's Go To The Games" contest over WNAC and the Yankee Network.

The judges selected his letter as one of the best, and Les Smith, popular Yankee sportscaster, announced sent tickets to the Braves VS St. Louis night game.

## 'Family Night' Aug. 19 At Playgrounds

The Park Department has made plans for a family night on all playgrounds Thursday evening, August 19, at 6 o'clock.

A softball game between Fathers and Sons, races, games and art-craft work will be followed by a cook-out and community singing.

Parents wishing to serve on the various playground committees are asked to volunteer their services to the playground leader on the playground near their home.

## Many New Phones

A total of 2,253 new telephones have been installed in Arlington in the past two and a half years, the N. E. Telephone Co., reports. Since the war, new installations have numbered 3,793.

The average number of daily telephone calls in Arlington has increased from 52,200 before the war to 67,300 at present.

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## Auto Stolen, Then Found

An auto stolen in Arlington Saturday night was found abandoned on the streets a few hours later.

The car, owned by Andrew Sobierzyk of 53 Pine Ridge Rd., was stolen while parked on Hawthorne St., near Pine Ridge.

It was recovered on Gray St., and it was found that its ignition wires had been tampered with to get it started.

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## Trust Fund

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hung in the balance.

Remarkably courageous through it all, she was given first aid by firemen, then rushed to Symmes Arlington Hospital. The next day she was transferred to the children's section of the Mass. General Hospital, where she still remains.

Doctors have since grafted some skin on her face, but to complete the job of grafting will take years. She has lost the lobe of her right ear, which must be replaced by plastic surgery; her two arms are useless because the tendons inside the elbow were burned.

The child's father is a working man, much devoted to his children. It has been difficult for him at times to make ends meet, with six children. With the fund it is now hoped to raise, Monica will be assured of the best medical care and the most expert plastic surgery. The money would be placed in trust for her, and would help also—when she grows older—to fit her for some useful occupation.

Sgt. Toomey and others on the committee believe that the hearts of all in Arlington will be touched by the little girl's plight, and that everyone will want to help.

The committee may possibly decide to award a new auto, on shares, as one means of raising the money. This, together with other suggestions, was being discussed as this issue went to press.

At Mass. General, doctors have told Mr. Cotter that Monica was "more seriously burned than anyone who came out of the Coconut Grove fire and lived."

One of several skin-grafting operations was performed on the child Wednesday morning.

The Cotter's oldest child, Isabel Jean, is eight years old. The others are: Lawrence, 7; Mary, 5½; Monica, 4½; Ruth, 3, and Martha, 2.

When informed yesterday that a public-spirited group was setting out to help Monica, Mrs. Cotter told a Press reporter:

"It is a kind and generous thing. I am very, very grateful."

## Vets' Homes

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At Monday's organization meeting, officers were elected as follows:

W. Dale Barker, chairman; Myron D. Cace, vice chairman; Hans Tobiasson, treasurer; Torsten H. Reenstierna, assistant treasurer; Harold E. Magnuson, temporary secretary.

Bylaws and an official seal were adopted. It was decided to hold regular meetings every Monday, and annual meetings the first Monday in April.

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# Reilly Within 20 Votes Of Election As AMVETS New State Commander

Commander Edward J. Reilly of the Arlington Post, American Veterans of World War II, lost by only 20 votes in his bid for election Sunday as state commander of the AMVETS.

Reilly received 78 votes for state commander at the conclusion of AMVETS' state convention in Newburyport Sunday. Edward Terry of Fitchburg, commander of the Worcester district, got 98 votes and was declared elected.

The Arlington man's supporters, from all over the state, left the convention determined to win him the post of state commander at the 1949 convention.

There were four candidates in Sunday's voting but Terry and Reilly were the major contenders. The third candidate received two votes, and the fourth a single vote.

# Patrick Sheehan, Town Employee, Dies Suddenly

Patrick Sheehan, for 21 years an employee of the town highway department, died suddenly Saturday morning at his home, 155 Palmer St. He was 55 years old.

Mr. Sheehan, who was unmarried, came to this country 21 years ago from Ireland, where his mother and four brothers survive him. He was a cousin of Mrs. Margaret St. Martin of 155 Palmer St., and a nephew of Mrs. Timothy Donovan of 70 Warren St. and Mrs. Margaret Monahan of 23 Lewis Ave.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, with a solemn high mass of requiem at 10 o'clock at St. Agnes' Church and burial in St. Paul's Cemetery.

## 3 Residents In Broadcast

Miss Margery Mills, of 6 North Union St., Mrs. Lillian Miller of 788 Mass. Ave., and Mrs. Mabel VanWart of 11 Perkins St., participants on the July 27 broadcast of "Bragg About Boston", which originated in front of the Liggett store at 1310 Mass. Ave. Cambridge.

The program is recorded at 1 p. m. and broadcast over WCOP at 4:45 p. m., giving those who appeared on the show with emcee Nelson Bragg an opportunity to hear themselves on the air. During a three week period, the "Bragg About Boston" show will originate from different locations around Metropolitan Boston.

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# Gets Help, But Could Do Without

Bradford F. Kitchen of 87 Summer St., who's busy demolishing an old barn on his property, got some unexpected help the other day.

He reported to police Wednesday that someone had carted off three old barn doors.

The doors weren't worth more than \$7 or \$8, but he says he's quite able to do the wrecking job without any light-fingered assistance.

# Runs Bike Into Pole; Injured

Eleven-year-old John Reynolds of 6 Newton Rd., took a painful fall from his bicycle Friday.

Somehow, he ran his bike into a pole, being knocked to the ground. A nearby resident who saw the mishap phoned police, and John was removed to Symmes in the police ambulance for treatment of a badly lacerated left leg.

# 2 Here To Be Nurses

Two Arlington girls, Marion L. Mahoney of 19 Central St., and Lois Wannamaker of 22 Edmund Rd., will be among 49 entering the New England and Draconess Hospital School of Nursing in Boston Sept. 10.

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# Record Enrollment Expected In Kindergarten, First Grade

A record enrollment in Kindergarten and first grade is expected when Arlington public school opens Sept. 8, while the number of students entering high school and the three junior highs will continue under pre-war levels.

The increase in lower grades is a reflection of the greater number of births during war years, as "war babies" now are old enough to enter school. There are fewer older children because of a slump in marriages and births a few years before the war.

Junior high school graduates who now are eligible to enter high school in the fall are:

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Brewster Ames, Jr.  
Charles Azarian  
Jane H. Bacon  
Claire L. Beltis  
Muriel Boucher  
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David L. Bresnahan  
John Brewer  
George Brouillette  
Foster F. Brown  
Barry R. Burke  
CoGnstance Cahalin  
Rene Canzanelli  
Shakeh Caracashian  
Joseph Casazza  
Ann B. Clark  
Arthur Colby  
Richard S. Cooke  
Walter S. Cooledge  
John P. Cooper  
Elinore R. Corcoran  
Leonora Coronella  
Donald Cronin  
Paul Cronin  
Ann B. Crosby  
David Crowley  
Carole A. Dale  
Nancy Ann Dale  
Robert H. Dale  
Robert A. Dallachie  
Robert Dalton  
Sally Danton  
Eleanor DeCaprio  
Paula J. DeMore  
Richard Donaldson  
Robert Donoghue  
Jane Dorion  
Ann F. Emery  
Vincent Errico  
Albert Farr  
Barbara Fleck  
Donald Gray  
William Guarente  
Nancy Ham  
Clarke A. Hamlet  
Myron B. Harmon, Jr.  
Ralph E. Hatch  
Mary A. Hefron  
Susan Hutchinson  
Malcolm Keljikian  
Richard Kelly  
Phyllis E. Kilmer  
Richard Knowles  
Fred L. Kranefuss  
Ann Laufman  
Janet Limerick  
Jane E. Loud  
Robert N. Loud  
Jean MacDougal  
Diana B. Mansfield  
Albert McAdoo  
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Joan Revelle  
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Nancy A. Ryder  
Charles P. Salemme  
Dorothy Santos  
Thos. H. Scannell  
Earl H. Sexton  
Geraldine Stackpole  
Patricia Staffon  
Chas. E. Stengle  
George V. Strong  
Marjorie Struthers  
Clare Swanson  
Alfred Tartarini  
Barbara Ann Tate  
Joyce A. Taylor  
Joyce A. Thomas  
Kenneth Tobiason  
Mary L. Toomey  
Elizabeth Traynor  
Priscilla Warren  
Carolyn Wells  
Marlene Wentworth  
Thelma Whitman  
George Wickwire  
Donald A. Wiggins  
Donald Winter  
Nancy Wood  
Phyllis R. Yood  
Nancy L. Young

FROM JUNIOR HIGH WEST

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Shelia Mary Abbott  
Lois Barbara Ames  
Barbara Ann Arnold  
Jewel Isabel Arthur  
Wescott Gorton Atwood  
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Nelson Alvin Berry  
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Charles Nelson Boudreau  
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Charles Patrick Breen  
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Lorraine Ann Bruno  
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# Last Rites For Teacher

Funeral services were held Saturday at St. John's Episcopal Church for Mrs. Mary Gunnerson of 26 Woodland St., who for many years had been a school teacher in Arlington and Newton.

Mrs. Gunnerson had been active in the Girl Scouts, had been president of the Woman's Guild of St. John's Church and chairman of the Arlington Red Cross Blood Donor Bank. During the war she took a leading part in the sale of War Bonds.

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# Parking Lot

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the situation, before a vote to buy was taken.

"These mortgages for \$130,000--against a property which incidentally was assessed for only \$48,000--became a matter of record at the court house on two dates: Jan. 31, 1946, and Feb. 1, 1946. The town meeting voted to buy the site for \$50,000 on March 15, 1946."

"As a citizen interested in Arlington, and at the request also of a number of other taxpayers, I have examined court records bearing on this unusual situation. I intend to follow developments in court next month."

(The case is due to come up in court early in September, when it is expected the court will decide whether the town's offer of \$50,000 is sufficient. Town Counsel Russell T. Hamlet recently told the Press that the owners of the property "want all outdoors" for the site.)

Attorney Vahey, who has interested himself in the case, was during the war an Army Air Force intelligence officer. He maintains law offices in Boston.

"If the town find, itself forced to pay an additional \$50,000 for this already expensive parking lot," he said, "this will mean an extra \$1 on every \$1,000 of realty assessment. The taxpayer will definitely pay."

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# Boy, 3, Has Close Call Under Auto's Wheels

A three-year-old boy, Garry Shostak of 4 Parker St., had a miraculous escape from death early Tuesday evening when run down by an auto in the street opposite 33 Mary St.

Garry, who allegedly was pushed into the street by an older child, fell between the wheels of a car driven by Herbert W. Toomles of 47 Alpine St., Boston.

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dow." Two men were corralled outside the house by policemen who responded. They were taken to police headquarters, but after questioning were released.

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## Honeymoon In Quebec

The Gray Rocks Inn in Quebec was the honeymoon destination of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Turnbull, following their wedding at St. Jerome's Church here recently. The bride, Barbara C. Stafford, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Stafford of 70 Egerton Rd., and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Turnbull of 1304 Concord Turnpike.

Rev. Fr. Joseph Fitzgibbons performed the single ring ceremony, and Mr. Stafford gave his daughter in marriage. The bride wore her paternal grandmother's wedding gown of ivory embroidered French batiste and imported lace, over an ice-blue satin underskirt, and fashioned with a short train. Her full-length illusion veil was caught to a crown of hand-painted ice-blue orange blossoms.

She carried a Colonial bouquet of white roses and delphinium. The maid of honor and only attendant was Miss Lorene Lambert of Arlington, whose gown was aqua marquisette with old fashioned skirt caught up with flowers. She wore a matching headpiece, and carried a Colonial bouquet of mixed flowers. The bridegroom's best man was Joseph Beliveau of Arlington, and Richard Gleason of East Lebanon, Maine, and Harry Lynch of Stoneham, were the ushers. Music was provided by Mrs. Ralph O'Neil at the organ, and Ralph O'Neil, soloist. Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at the Hotel Sheraton in Boston.

The bride and bridegroom are both graduates of Arlington High School. Mr. Turnbull served two years with the U. S. Marine Corps, and is now manager of the Newbury Street Garage in Boston. Mrs. Turnbull attended Katherine Gibbs Secretarial School in Boston, and is employed at Dewey and Almy Chemical Company in Cambridge.

A merit badge in athletics has been awarded to William Squires of Troop 7 at Boy Scout Camp Sachem, Antrim, N. H., while a merit badge for woodcarving has been won by Francis Seery of Troop 8.

The week's largest fish was caught by Harold Estabrook of Troop 8, while Robert Lewis and Bill Copithorne of Troop 6 received honorable mention for catching a 9 1/4-inch large-mouthed bass with their bare hands.

Sarkis Zartarian of Troop 8 has won awards for proficiency on the rifle range.

The following Scouts have received the Camp Sachem Ranger, an award for outstanding camp spirit, Scout advancement and participation in camp activities: William Bennett, Alan Strong, of Troop 85; Atwood Dickson, Troop 86; Daniel Josie, Troop 8; Richard Partridge, Troop 29.

The Junior Honor Society, the Camp Sachem Order of the Trail, conferred upon campers who have shown outstanding ability in all phases of Scouting and camping, was awarded to Jerry Simpson of Troop 5.

In their usual impressive ceremony the senior camp honor society, the Order of the Nikiwigi, inducted as members William Squires of Troop 7 and Dana Spencer of Troop 6.

## Hobos Ball Team Opens On Tuesday

The Arlington Hobos, a ball team made up of senior AYA players, will open a four-week season at Spy Pond next Tuesday, at 6:15.

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August 9th-Monday 10 A. M.  
Huck Finn Fishing Contest-Menotomy Rocks Park

August 10th-Tuesday 9 A. M.  
Midget Baseball Play Offs-Spy Pond Field

August 11th-Wednesday 9:30 A. M.  
Junior Baseball Play Offs-Spy Pond Field

August 11th-Wednesday Noon  
Knot Hole Gang-Braves vs Giants-Meet at Town Hall

August 12th-Thursday Noon  
Weenie and Marshmallow Roast-All Playgrounds

August 13th-Friday 2:30 P. M.  
Amateur Show-All Playgrounds

### Pvt. Russell V. Smith To Be Reburied Here Today; Fell In Italy

The body of Pvt. Russell V. Smith, who fell in battle on Italy's Anzio beach April 27, 1944, arrived in Arlington yesterday for reburial in home ground.

Pvt. Smith, who was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Smith of 27 Brooks Ave., had been in the Army two and a half years and overseas two years when he was killed. He was a well known piano player with orchestras, and graduate of Arlington High School.

Arlington Post 39, American Legion, conducted Legion services at the Saville Funeral Home last evening, and a solemn high mass of requiem was to be celebrated this (Thursday) morning at 9 in Immaculate Conception Church, North Cambridge.

The body was to be accompanied to the church by an honor guard, with a rifle squad to fire a last volley over the grave in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.

In addition to his parents Pvt. Smith is survived by a sister, Mrs. David Kilpatrick, and a brother, Robert, both of Arlington.

### AYA Players Will Attend Braves Game

All 240 players in the senior and junior AYA ball leagues are in for a special treat next week.

They are to be taken to Boston next Wednesday, Aug. 11, to attend a Braves game of the management.

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### Playground Briefs

Knot Hole Gang members from all the playgrounds met at the Town Hall last Thursday and attended the Braves-Pittsburgh game. It was a credit to our community to see our well behaved youngsters watching the ball game, in contrast to the youngsters of other communities who constantly are causing trouble at the game.

All playgrounds enjoyed the weenie roast last Wednesday afternoon.

Firplaces were made by the frankfurts may have been too well youngsters, and though a few done, the outdoor ovens served the purpose well. After the weenie roast, races and games of all types were held on each area.

The new equipment at Linwood Street playground has helped attendance at this spot. Large crowds are at this area daily, and especially in the early evening hours when daddy brings the children down to the swings after supper.

Many of the playgrounds were the scene of doll carriage parades last Friday afternoon. Dolls and carriages were very beautifully decorated and the judges were a long time deliberating which were the prettiest.

"Liz" McDonough is proving to boys' baseball teams at Robbins be the standout of both girls' and Farm. She pitches for the junior baseball team manages them and shows an amazing all-around skill in the art of baseball.

I WONDER how many will agree with this 'I Wonder' from W. H. Gleason of 40 Highland St.: "I Wonder how many new customers the Arlington stores have as the result of the parking meters, and how many old customers they have lost for the same reason?"

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# 500 Unregistered As Voters In 1 Precinct, Survey Shows; Archbishop Urges Voting

The rather shocking disclosure that there are as many as 500 unregistered voters in one Arlington precinct alone was made this week, following a spot survey by a member of the Arlington Democratic Town Committee.

While the location of the precinct was not revealed, the facts unearthed were said to be fairly typical of the situation in Arlington on the eve of the September primaries and November elections.

The Democratic Committee urged all who are entitled to vote to register, issuing a reminder that the last chance to register to vote in the primaries will be Friday of next week—Aug. 13. Registrations may be made any weekday but Saturday, during office hours, at the town clerk's office, with the following additional registrations:

- Friday, Aug. 6—Locke and Russell schools, 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.
- Tuesday, Aug. 10—Pierce and Hardy schools, 7:30 to 9 p.m.
- Friday, Aug. 13—Town hall, 12 noon to 10 p.m.

Archbishop Richard J. Cushing, meanwhile, joined this week in urging "all persons eligible to vote" to prepare to exercise their



right at the polls.

In a message read at masses last Sunday, the head of the Catholic church in the Boston archdiocese said:

All persons eligible to vote are reminded that the closing dates for registration this year are the following: for the primaries, August 13, at 10 p.m.; for the elections, October 1, at 10 p.m.

"Each citizen should discover the hours and places of registration in the locality in which he or she lives. No one can vote who has not been legally registered.

"The exercise of the vote is always a serious moral obligation. At this particular moment of history the fate of nations depends at times on a maximum vote by



ing electorate.

"In our own community, local and national, the number of issues which affect the very foundation of Christian and Democratic society are constantly on the increase. Those who register to vote can help protect these foundations. Those who do not register to vote or who, having registered, fail to cast their votes, have only themselves to blame when public policies are adopted contrary to the best interests of society.

"I remind all persons in the Archdiocese of their solemn obligation in conscience to avail themselves fully of this civil right to vote."

## All-Stars On Wednesday Schedule

The Arlington All-Stars, a team made up largely of "big league" players, are now playing Wednesday nights, at Spy Pond.

The All-Stars will play Wednesday, at 6:15, through August and September, it was announced this week.

Included in the team's roster are Pat Egan, Bernie Flaman, Eddie Barry, Art Johnson and Ike Bevins.

## Wins Radio

A radio set awarded on shares Friday by the Mohawk A. C. was won by Jack Bates of 12 Candia St.

## Called Back From Vacation As Water Pipe Springs Leak

Enjoying a vacation with her family in New London, N. H., Mrs. John Lewis, of 30 Old Mystic St., had to make a hurried trip back home Friday when police discovered a leaking water pipe in her home.

Water was found entering the Lewis garage through the ceiling, from a break in the line above. Police had the public works department shut off the house's water supply, and then sent word to Mrs. Lewis through New Hampshire state police.

Mrs. Lewis decided to come back herself to superintend repairs.

## I Wonder?

I WONDER why Mary Roper isn't entered in some of our beauty contests, and if she wouldn't have a good chance of winning (take note, boys)?

I WONDER if Ruth and Sonny are looking around for a horsey-moon flat?

I WONDER if it's just a coincidence that the sun came out Monday afternoon when Janet Chapman visited us from Lexington?

I WONDER if the lady at Liggett's fountain wasn't right when she told a little boy who asked for a glass of water: "When you buy something here, you just ask for it; but when you ask for something for nothing, you say please?"

I WONDER where the chap at the diner in the Center found that oversize 1917 dollar bill, and if it isn't a reminder that dollars in those days were a lot bigger in every way?

I WONDER how many members of the 1946 town meeting who voted \$50,000 for a parking lot realize now that the muddled situation with regard to the Peirce & Winn property many end in Arlington payinz a great deal more than intended—and more than town meeting members would have approved of?

I WONDER why some society writers persist in referring to a bridegroom as a "groom," when a groom is a man who takes care of horses?

I WONDER who was holding that noisy party on Gould Rd. Friday night?

I WONDER if certain residents of Howard St., would like a radio in that neighborhood tuned down a bit on summer nights?

I WONDER if it wouldn't be a practical idea for bus companies to post their schedules at some of the major stops, such as in Arlington Center, so folks could find out how the buses run?

I WONDER if little Charlotte (sixteen and never kissed) will ever get that gift watch to run, or does she like it as it is?

I WONDER who was pretty happy about those two quarts of blueberries he picked Sunday, when he found out that berries were selling at 69 cents a quart?

I WONDER if the report is true that Selectman Purcell has been surprised to discover some of the facts relating to the proposed municipal parking lot, and that he was busy doing some checking this week?

I WONDER if the Advocate is correct when it predicts that Selectman Cahalan may resign?

I WONDER if Funeral Director William D. Grannan isn't one man who believes building rules and codes should be a bit more elastic when it comes to providing housing for veterans?

I WONDER what will be the cops' next move in their effort to get time off for the holidays they work?

I WONDER if it wouldn't be timely for the selectmen to adopt rules and regulations governing parking lots?

I WONDER if Lee will ever get that bike her heart yearns for—and if her mother will, perchance, read this and take the hint?

I WONDER if Rita will invite Gene Leonard to sing at the party Friday night?

I WONDER if Ronnie Pick and Jackie enjoyed the dish of spaghetti better in the great outdoors?

## Standings In Playground Ball Leagues

Standings in the Playground baseball leagues, released this week by the Park Department, are as follows:

Junior Eastern League		
	Won	Lost
Cemetery	3	2
Crosby	2	1
North Union	2	1
Thorndike	2	0
Spy	1	3
Waldo Road	0	3

Western Juniors		
	Won	Lost
Wellington	2	1
Robbins Farm	2	1
Florence Avenue	2	1
West	0	2
Cutter	0	2

Eastern Midgets		
	Won	Lost
Crosby	4	1
Waldo	4	1
Cemetery	3	2
Thorndike	2	1
North Union	1	3
Hardy	1	3
Spy	0	4

Western Midgets		
	Won	Lost
West	6	1
Peirce	5	1
Wellington	2	2
Robbins	2	3
Cutter	1	4
Florence	0	5

## 100 Motorists A Week Getting Summonses, Many Friday Nights

Approximately 100 summonses a week are currently being issued for parking meter violations, Police Chief Archie F. Bullock told the Press Tuesday, and "most of the offenses take place Friday evenings."

Many motorists apparently are under the impression that the meters are not in operation evenings, the chief pointed out. While this is true of most evenings it doesn't apply to Fridays.

"The meters are in use Friday nights until 9," he said. "This is made necessary because stores are open Friday nights and without the meters we'd have the streets so clogged with parkers that shoppers couldn't reach the stores."

"As soon as drivers as a whole become aware of the fact that they must deposit coins in the meters on Fridays, the number of summonses will substantially decrease."

On other evenings the meters go out of use at 6 p.m.; on Sundays and holidays there is no parking charge.

The police chief remarked, incidentally, that he had received very few complaints from motorists, despite the large number of summonses the police have had to issue.

"Most motorists take the attitude that they made a mistake in oversaying their parking time, and pay up without grumbling," he said. "It is significant that we have issued summonses a second time only to a few drivers."

## St. Agnes In 5-2 Win Over St. Benedict's

By PAUL M. ASSELIN

At Spy Pond Field last Friday night, the St. Agnes C.Y.O. Intermediates held St. Benedict's of Somerville to the lower end of a 5-2 score.

St. Agnes was red hot all the way, scoring two runs in the first, one in the second and two more in the fourth, before St. Benedict's two run fifth could show any sign of a counterattack.

Scoring himself and banging two singles and a double to force in three more runs, Jack Donelan proved to be a worthy mate. Adding to his ability were Mike Keefe and Frank Rindoni, who clouted a pair of hits apiece.

Tom Coughlin's mound work was as effective as it sounds: four hits, one walk, and ten strikeouts. His victorious efforts were interrupted while his opponent yielded nine hits, two walks, and struck out five.

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7—Total  
St. Ben. 0 0 0 2 0 0—2  
St. Agnes 2 1 0 2 0 0 x—5

## Bombers, K.C. Clash Friday On H. S. Field

The Arlington Bombers, one of the town's top softball outfits, will engage the Wellesley K. C. in a return game at the high school field here tomorrow, Friday, at 6:30 p. m.

Don Munro, winner of 15 straight in league competition, will be the bombers' starting pitcher, Wellesley will counter with Chuck McGrath, who in the opinion of many softball followers is faster than the Elks' ace, Walt Ludka.

## New Play At Tufts

"Present Perfect," a new play by Norman Ashton, Tufts graduate and a resident of West Medford, will be given its premiere production next week, Tuesday through Saturday, (August 10-14) at the Tufts Summer (Arena) Theater on the campus of Tufts College in Medford.

Mr. Ashton was graduated from Tufts in 1945 and is a senior in the playwriting department of the Yale Graduate School of the Drama. His comedy about Paul Revere, "Listen My Children," won critics' praise and played to packed houses at the Tufts Summer Theater last season, later being produced twice at Yale. He is also the author of "Postscript," a fantasy about Christopher Marlowe, produced at Tufts and by the Arlington Friends of the Drama.

## Purse Found

A black change purse, containing \$2.39, was found in Arlington Center Friday by Edward Hanlon of 34 Reed St., and turned over to police. It was later claimed by its owner.

## Mrs. Ryder Wins

**2 Free Dinners**

Mrs. Earl Ryder, of 11 Church-hill Ave., wife of the town clerk, is a recent winner on WCOP's "Dinner Winner" program, heard daily at 4:30 p. m.

Mrs. Ryder received a dinner for two atop the cool, luxurious Hotel Sheraton roof for correctly answering the telephone when she was called by Nelson Bragg, the emcee of the program. Listeners must say the name of something they are having for dinner instead of responding with the customary "Hello."

## Injured At Beach

When he injured his ankle at Reservoir Beach Sunday afternoon, Francis Mulvey, 43, of 55 Warland St., Cambridge, was removed by police to the home of friends at 18 Magnolia St.

## On Vacation

Charles R. Armour, director of veterans' services leaves on his annual two weeks' vacation today, Thursday. In his absence Robert E. Fitzgerald will be acting director.

I WONDER who's the chap who's been feeding pigeons a couple of weeks, and then shooting and eating them?

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